political committee, including a political action committee affiliated with the employer". See General Revisor's Note to this title and § 1-101 of this article.

In subsection (f) of this section, the former reference to "account" is deleted as included in the reference to "affiliated political action committee".

In the introductory language of subsection (h) of this section, the phrase "under this section" is substituted for the former phrase "[f]or purposes of a payroll deduction for any contribution" for clarity.

Also in the introductory language of subsection (h) of this section, the former reference to "accumulate [or] transfer" money or anything of value is deleted in light of the reference to "receive".

In subsection (h)(2)(ii) of this section, the reference to dues, fees, or other "assessment" is substituted for the former reference to "money" for clarity.

The Election Law Article Review Committee notes, for consideration by the General Assembly, that neither the notice requirements under subsection (g) of this section, nor the prohibitions under subsection (h) of this section, apply to an employee membership entity. This seems somewhat anomalous.

Defined terms: "Affiliated political action committee" § 13-241

"Campaign finance entity" § 1-101

"Contribution" § 1-101

"Employee membership entity" § 13-241

"Political action committee" § 1-101

13-242. COLLECTIONS BY MEMBERSHIP ENTITIES.

(A) DEFINITIONS.

- (1) IN THIS SECTION THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS INDICATED.
- (2) "MEMBERSHIP ENTITY" MEANS AN ORGANIZATION THAT COLLECTS DUES FROM ITS MEMBERS.
- (3) "AFFILIATED POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE" MEANS A POLITICAL COMMITTEE AFFILIATED WITH A MEMBERSHIP ENTITY.
 - (B) COLLECTION OF CONTRIBUTIONS

A MEMBERSHIP ENTITY MAY ESTABLISH A PROGRAM FOR PERIODICALLY COLLECTING FROM ITS MEMBERS AND ACCUMULATING VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS BY THE MEMBERS TO AN AFFILIATED POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE IF THOSE CONTRIBUTIONS ARE COLLECTED TOGETHER WITH:

(1) MEMBERSHIP DUES INVOICED AND COLLECTED BY THE MEMBERSHIP ENTITY; OR